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For: Symbol Timing For MIMO OFDM and Other Wireless Communication Systems

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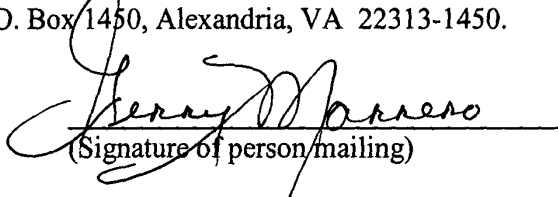
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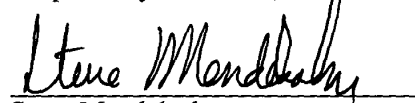
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	AA	EP 1 206 061 A1	05/2002	EPO			

OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)

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	AD	"Synchronization for MIMO OFDM Systems", by Apurva N. Mody and Gordon L. Stüber; School of Electrical Computer Engineering, Georgia Institute of Technology, Atlanta, GA, Nov. 2001, 5 pages.

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